

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY

ORDER OF NOTICE

D.T.E. 05-47 July 12, 2005

Petition of NSTAR Gas Company for approval by the Department of Telecommunications and Energy pursuant to G.L. c. 164, §94A, to accept a release of long-term transportation capacity under an agreement with Dartmouth Power Associates Limited Partnership.

NSTAR Gas Company ("Company") is required to publish the attached Notice of Filing and Public Hearing in either The Boston Globe or the Boston Herald at least fourteen (14) days prior to July 28, 2005. The Company shall serve a copy thereof by mail at least fourteen (14) days prior to July 28, 2005, on the participants in NSTAR Gas Company, D.T.E. 02-12. The Company shall also make return of service and proof of publication at the time of the hearing.

By Order of the Department,	
/s/	
Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary	